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SUBJECT: LOS: DAILY REPORT, COMMITTEE II, AUGUST 20, 1974.

1. SUMMARY. COMMITTEE II COMPLETED FIRST READING OF INFORMAL WORKING PAPERS NO. 7 (HIGH SEAS), NO. 8, (ARCHIPELAGOES) AND NO. 9 (LAND-LOCKED COUNTRIES). END SUMMARY.

2. ININFORMAL SESSION, COMMITTEE II DISCUSSED INFORMAL WORKING PAPER NO. 7 (HIGH SEAS). BULGARIA SUPPORETAE BY USSR AND FRG SUGESTED THAT DEFINITION BE INCLUDED UNDER HEADING OF NATURE AND CHARACTERISTICS OF HIGH SEAS. ECUADOR SUGESTED JOINT MEETING BETWEEN COMMITTEE II AND COMMITTEE I TO CONSIDER IMPLICATIONS FOR COMMON HERITAGE OF HIGH SEAS CONCEPT. FIJI OPPOSED BY USSR AND UK PROPOSED THAT HIGH SEAS BEGING UNCLASSIFIED

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BEYOND ARCHIPELAGIC WATERS AS WELL AS BEYOND TERRITORIAL SEA OR

INTERNAL WATERS. CUWADA SUGESTED SEPARATE FORMULA IN PAPER REFLECTING FIJI PROPOSAL.

3. IN FORMAL SESSION, FRANCE ON BEHALF OF EEC. INTRODUCED L.54, A WORKING DOCUMENT ON THE HIGH SEAS. MALAYSIA INTRODUCED L.64 WHICH CONTINUED AMENDMENTS TO DRAFT ARTICLES RELATING TO ARCHIPELAGIC STATES CONTAINED IN DOCUMENT A/CONF.62/C.2/L.49. NEW ZEALAND INTRODUCED L.66, A DRAFT ARTICLE ON HOT PURSUIT.

4. IN INFORMAL SESSION ON WORKING PAPER NO. 8 (ARCHIPELAGOES), SEVERAL TECHNICAL CHANGES WERE SUGGESTED BY VARIOUS DELEGATIONS. BAHAMAS INDICATED IT WAS NOT ENTIRELY HAPPY WITH PAPER AND MIGHT WISH TO SUBMIT WRITTEN PROPOSALS FOR INCLUSION IN REVISION OF WORKING PAPERS.

5. IN INFORMAL SESSION ON WORKING PAPER NO. 9 (LAND-LOCKED COUNTRIES) NUMBER OF LANDLOCKED COUNTRIES SPOKE IN SUPPORT OF LANDLOCKED NEED FOR ACCESS WHILE SEVERAL TRANSIT STATES EXPRESSED SOME RESERVATIONS ABOUT MULTILATERAL VERSUS BILATERAL APPROACH.

6. CHAIRMAN ANNOUNCED THAT NEXT MEETING WOULD CONTINUE WITH SECOND READING OF WORKING PAPER NO. 1, REVISION 2 (TERRITORIAL SEA) AND THAT ADDITIONAL INFORMAL WORKING PAPERS WOULD BE OUT SHORTLY.
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